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TO AMEMBASSY BONN IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: LOS - AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S PRESS STATEMENT ON
THE SIXTH SESSION OF THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE

FOR AMBASSAODR OR CHARGE FROM AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON

1. YOU HAVE RECEIVED BY SEPARATE TELEGRAM THE TEXT OF THE
STATEMENT I MADE TODAY JULY 20 AT NEW YORK ABOUT THE JUST
CONCLUDED SIXTH SESSION OF THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE.
I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR HAVING THE TEXT OF THE STATEMENT
TOGETHER WITH THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM ME
DELIVERED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO THE FOLLOWING:

FOR BONN - H.E. MR. KARL H. KNOKE

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--- H.E. C.W. PINTO, AMBASSADOR SRI LANKA

FOR LONDON - SIR DONALD LOGAN

FOR MOSCOW - H.E. S. P. KOZYREV

FOR PARIS - S.E. M. GUY DE LACHARRIERE

FOR TOKYO - H.E. MR. MOTOO OGISO

FOR WARSAW - H.E. MR. EG. KULAGA

FOR BUCHAREST - H.E. M. VASILE GLIGA

2. BEGIN TEXT: FOLLOWING RELEASE OF THE COMPOSITE TEXT
TODAY, I HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE AT THE UNITED NATIONS
AND HAVE ASKED OUR EMBASSY TO GIVE YOU A COPY OF MY
PREPARED STATEMENT TOGETHER WITH THIS MESSAGE.

-- IT WAS A PLEASURE TO WORK WITH YOU DURING RECENT
MONTHS, AND I REGRET THAT, DESPITE OUR CONSTRUCTIVE
COLLABORATION ON OTHER ISSUES, THE LAST MINUTE CHANGES
IN THE COMPOSITE TEXT ON SEABED MINING NECESSITATED THIS
STATEMENT. I STILL HOPE THAT FAIR PROCEDURES CAN BE
FOUND FOR REACHING THE CONSENSUS ON SEABED MINING WHICH
HAD SHOWN SUCH PROMISE OF EMERGING.

-- WITH WARMEST PERSONAL REGARDS,

---- ELLIOT L. RICHARDSON
---- END TEXT.

3. I WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU WOULD ADVISE WHEN THE
MESSAGE AND TEXT HAVE BEEN DELIVERED. VANCE

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